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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97-1.98, Applicant hereby calls the following documents which are discussed on page 2 of Applicant's specification to the Examiner's attention:

Korean Patent Publication No. 1998-0043829 (Registration No. 10-0192402), published on September 5, 1998,

US Patent No. 6,179,328 to Kawagoe et al., issued on January 30, 2001, and US Patent No. 5,505,479 to Lee, issued on April 9, 1996.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner consider and cite each of the above patents. The relevance of the documents are as noted on page 2 of Applicant's specification.

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Copies of the above-noted patent documents are attached for the convenience of the Examiner and in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98. Further, the above-noted documents have been listed on a PTO-1449 Form which is also attached hereto. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to initial the appropriate spaces on the attached PTO-1449 Form and to return a copy of the Form to the Applicant with the next official communication in the present application to confirm consideration of these documents.

Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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